MR. C. KUMARA DAS: (*a*) No.

(*b*) Does not arise in view of answer to part (*a*).

MR. P. O. THOMAS: May I know whether any regulators are to be put in the Periyar near Alwaye?

MR. C. KUMARA DAS: The matter is under investigation.

Irrigation Works.

358. *MR. P. O. THOMAS: Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether the Government have issued a circular to the P. W. D. to attend to only irrigation works;

(*b*) what irrigation works in Parur and Kunnatnad taluks were attended to after the issue of that direction; and

(*c*) what proposal has been made with respect to such works?

MR. C. KUMARA DAS: (*a*) No. But they have issued a circular to the P. W. D. to give priority to minor irrigation works for a period of two months.

(*b*) 1. Improvements to Pukkodu thodu in Aykaranad pakuthi, Kunnatnad taluk;

2. Improvements to Kuriapally thodu, Aykaranad pakuthi, Kunnatnad taluk;

3. Improvements to Chakkala thodu in Kodungalloor pakuthy, Parur taluk;

4. Constructing a bund and sluice in Edapally thodu, Parur taluk;

(*c*) The Government have no information as regards details as their estimated costs are within Rs. 5,000 which are within the powers of sanction delegated to Executive Engineers.

Maintenance of roads in Parur.

359. *MR. E. K. MADHAVAN: Will the Government be pleased to state the amount spent during the year 1121 for maintenance or repair of the Parur-Alwaye road, Parur-Varapuzha road, and the Parur-Ezhikara road respectively?

MR. C. KUMARA DAS:

		Booked expenditure to end of 11/1121. Rs.		
1. Alwaye-Parur road	...	2,216	14	4
2. Parur-Varapuzha road	...	867	18	10
3. Parur-Ezhikara road	...	5	0	0

MR. E. K. MADHAVAN: In part 3 of the answer it is stated that only Rs. 5 was spent on Parur-Ezhikara road. May I know the reason why only that was spent?

MR. C. KUMARA DAS: Till now the amount that has been spent is on patch work, that is, till date of report.

MR. E. K. MADHAVAN: May I know from the honourable member why only patch work, has been made to this road when it is in a most miserable condition?

MR. C. KUMARA DAS: In places where it is necessary, it has been done.

MR. E. K. MADHAVAN: May I know whether the bridge on that road requires immediate repair?

MR. C. KUMARA DAS: I have no information, Sir.

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